

Docket No.: 050099-0238

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Shigenobu MAEDA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6603

Application No.: 10/748,273 : Group Art Unit: 2823

Filed: December 31, 2003 : Examiner: Than V. Pham

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING IMPURITY

REGION UNDER ISOLATION REGION (As Amended)

AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated September 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.